

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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First Named Inventor	: Hans BEER		
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Examiner	: Lyle Alexander		
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Title	: Process for Producing Surface Enhanced Membrane		

**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF CERTIFIED
PRIORITY DOCUMENT**

Mail Stop Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir:

Applicant received a Notice of Allowance dated July 15, 2010 with no indication that the Office received a certified copy of the priority document. However, as noted on the attached copy of the "Submission of Missing Parts in Application" (item #4), which bears the Office's date-stamp indicating receipt of the listed items, Applicant timely submitted a certified copy of the priority document on April 11, 2002. It appears that the priority document was not uploaded into the Office's image file wrapper.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner acknowledge receipt of the priority document in a Supplemental Notice of Allowability. If there are any questions regarding this request, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated.

August 17, 2010

Respectfully submitted,



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APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING MEMBRANE

SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS IN APPLICATION

Box Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Attached hereto please find:

1. The Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
2. The executed Declaration.
3. Assignment for recordation, including a check in the amount of \$40.00.
4. Certified copy of corresponding German application.
5. A check in the amount of \$1392.00 in payment of the basic filing fee of \$740.00, the \$522.00 additional claim fee, and the surcharge of \$130.00 for late submission of the Declaration.

Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring LLP, Account Number 05-1323 (Docket #2265/50685). A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

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